

FORT WORTH.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 24.—Bishop Johnson visits city. Parties and other entertainments.

For general improvement, a man should read whatever his immediate inclination prompts him to; though if he has science to learn, he must regularly and resolutely advance. What we read with inclination makes a stronger impression. If we read without inclination, half the mind is employed in fixing the attention, so there is but half to be employed on what we read. If a man begins to read in the middle of a book and feels an inclination to go on, let him not quit it to go to the beginning. He may perhaps not feel again the inclination. Read! Think! Act!

Rev. W. C. Jones, formerly of this city, but now pastoring Mt. Calvary Baptist Church of Paris, Texas, is visiting friends in the city and can be seen shaking hands with old friends on 9th Street. We welcome Rev. Jones to our city again.

Mr. J. Brown of Muskogee, Okla., is visiting his son, Mr. Leroy Brown, 1001 Morgan street.

We are glad to note Mrs. George Hodge, Magnolia Ave., who has been very sick is reported much improved at this writing.

A very distinguished visitor in the city Sunday and Sunday night, was that of Bishop Wm. D. Johnson, D. D., Ph. D. Bishop Johnson, spoke to a pleasing audience Sunday morning at Allen Chapel and Sunday night, at Bakers' Chapel.

Mrs. L. B. Logan entertained with a dinner party, last week, in honor of the carnival club and Mrs. Rose and Knight of Dallas. Each person was given a pink carnation as a souvenir of the occasion.

What is twice read is commonly better remembered than what is transcribed. If you read the periodicals found on newstand at Temple Drug Store, you will keep abreast of all the news of every where. Read the Dallas Express. On stand at Temple Drug Store.

Mr. J. C. Reid, the reliable restaurateur is in business again to the delight of his many friends. Mr. Reid seems quite natural in his new place at 411 E. 9th Street.

Mr. Walter Berry of Snyder, Texas, but formerly of this city is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Mattie Powell, 917 Magnolia Avenue.

Mrs. Ella Blackman Josephine street, has as her guest, Mrs. Sallie Stewart of St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Lena Pratt, Rosedale Avenue is on the sick list. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Mattie Powell, 917 Magnolia Avenue, entertained at luncheon Sunday in honor of Mrs. Ernest Jackson. Pretty St. Patrick's day decorations were used. All present, enjoyed the afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elliot of Polytchnic celebrated their 43rd anniversary, Saturday, March 12. May they live to have many more such celebrations is the best wishes of the reporter.

The Heroines of Jericho celebrated Palm Sunday, March 20, in the Masonic Temple. Grand Temple Court leading, Mrs. M. E. Thompson, worthy Matron acted as Mistress of ceremonies. Rev. Harris gave the history of the Heroines of Jericho, while instrumental solos, quartets besides the choir, made the program worth hearing. At night of the same date the most wonderful and most solemn services of the chapters of the Order of Eastern Stars were observed at Zion Baptist Church, corner Rosedale and Evans Avenue. Music was rendered by the selected and trained choruses of superb musical talent, while Rev. Curry was at his best in the sermon. Hons. McDonald, Scott and others spoke on both occasions.

Resolve to edge in a little reading every day. It is but a single sentence. If you gain fifteen minutes a day, it will make itself felt at the end of the year. Read the Dallas Express and all other literature found on the stand at Temple Drug Store, 52 weeks in the year. It will do you good.

We want all the important news of the city. Write or phone us at Temple Drug Store.

Mrs. Will Smith, Humboldt St., is sick. The reporter hopes for her a speedy recovery.

Misses Willie Wilkerson and Hetty Allen visited in Dallas, Sunday and reports a pleasant time.

Mr. Henry Lacy, 3109 Flora St., Dallas, visited friends in the city, Sunday.

If its reading matter, we have it, Temple Drug Store.

A most enjoyable affair of the season was the pretty party given by Misses Wallis, Sims, Maddox and Miss George, at the palatial home of Dr. and Mrs. N. T. Wallis, Friday night, March 18. The house was decorated with spring potted plants. Gayly and beautifully dressed ladies and girls turned out for the occasion. Dainty refreshments were served. Dancing and games were the diversions of the evening, and every one enjoyed the afternoon immensely.

The revival which is being conducted at Mt. Gilead Baptist Church is proving a success so far in the saving of souls.

No entertainment is so cheap as reading. Nor any pleasure so lasting. Read and keep abreast of the news. All news found on stand at Temple Drug Store.

GUNSHINE COLORED CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday was a high day at Sunshine. Supt. E. D. Wallace was at his post promptly at 9:45 with his group of teachers and a live Sunday at 11:30 a. m. Pastor J. E. Dixon, came before us and preached a forceful sermon using for a text, "How Beautiful Are The Feet of Those Who Preach The Gospel of Peace," subject, importance of the ministerial office.

Our hearts were made to burn within us as he talked with us by the way. At 3:30 p. m., Rev. J. S. Hamilton of Hillsboro, Texas, came forward and preached a strong sermon from Job 28:28 verse, he used for his subject, "Wisdom After Which the loyal members and friends of the church came forward and laid on the table \$200.00 and at 5:00 p. m. The pastor was back on the scene and preached

another grand sermon from Psalm 116th chapter, 9th verse, text: "I Will Walk Before the Lord in the Land of the Living." Subject "Walking With God." Attendance to all services good. Addition to the church one. Collection for the day \$204.78.

Out of town visitors were as follows: Rev. J. S. Hamilton of Hillsboro, Texas, the president of the board of church extension; Rev. C. H. Jordan of Waco, Texas, the Moderator of the Brazos River Presbytery; ruling elder, H. Dixon of Hillsboro, Texas; ruling elder and Mrs. J. M. Robinson of Meridian, Texas.

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WORTH HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday was a high day. The Sunday School attendance was good. At 11:30 a. m., the pastor, Rev. M. G. Garner preached a strong sermon from Gen. 2:7, Subject "What is Man?" Attendance and collection all day were good. We have just entered into our new church. We have a strong Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Come over and help us and we will do these good. Worth Hill is located on the Northside of Fort Worth. Rev. M. J. Garner, pastor; Sister A. M. Young, Church Clerk; Dr. J. B. Frazier, reporter.

DALLAS DISTRICT NOTES.

R. S. Jenkins, P. E. Yes, Easter is at our door. Brethren and members are you ready to step in and enjoy the glorious Easter Sabbath. Millions of the heathens and many of our poor are depending on our pastors and members to do their whole duty next Sunday. The amounts as set by the Pastors' Council, are as follows:

Bethel, Dallas, Rev. J. H. Smith, pastor, Easter \$75.00; W. H. M. S. \$40.00; St. James Temple, Dallas, Rev. C. W. Abington, pastor, Easter \$75.00; W. H. M. S. \$40.00; St. Paul, Dallas, Rev. J. L. Johnson, pastor, Easter \$20.00; W. H. M. S. \$25.00; White Rock, R. A., Dallas, Rev. S. G. H. Glasgow, pastor, Easter \$15.00; W. H. M. S. \$12.00; Smith Chapel, Rev. G. L. Coleman, pastor, Easter \$15.00; W. H. M. S. \$12.00; Lee Chapel, Rev. J. H. Bush, pastor, Easter \$5.00; W. H. M. S. \$8.00; Gaines Chapel, Rev. A. J. Williams, pastor, Easter \$5.00; W. H. M. S. \$6.00; West Lemon Avenue, Rev. J. E. Garth, pastor, Easter \$3.00; W. H. M. S. \$5.00; Garth Chapel, Rev. L. D. Cardinale, pastor, Easter \$6.00; W. H. M. S. \$10.00; Allen Chapel, Fort Worth, Rev. H. S. Sims, pastor, Easter \$75.00; W. H. M. S. \$40.00; Wesley Chapel, N. Fort Worth, Rev. W. H. Darden, pastor, Easter \$15.00; W. H. M. S. \$20.00; Dalworth, Rev. M. P. Lambert, pastor, Easter \$3.00; W. H. M. S. \$5.00; Carrollton-Grapevine, Rev. H. Baker, pastor, Easter \$3.00; Hickory-Lewisville, Rev. J. D. Edkins, pastor, Easter \$2.00; W. H. M. S. \$4.00; Sanger, Rev. M. P. Lambert, acting pastor, Easter \$2.00; W. H. M. S. \$3.00; Covansville, Rev. J. C. Corney, pastor, Easter \$5.00; W. H. M. S. \$10.00; Arlington and Bent Creek, Rev. E. Manego, pastor, Easter \$3.00; W. H. M. S. \$5.00; Garland and Carruth, Rev. J. W. Willis, pastor, Easter \$15.00; W. H. M. S. \$2.00.

The above amounts were the pastors and representatives voluntary obligation and we are sure that none will fail. Success is written on every banner. Success echoes in every sound wave of the district, up and to doing my brethren. The Easter Day collection must be divided, one half sent to Rev. J. E. Edwards, 105 Alken Street, Waxahatchie, Texas. All of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary collection must be sent to Mrs. M. E. Moore, 408 Harding St., Fort Worth, Texas. Rev. J. E. Edwards is treasurer of the Conference Missionary Board; Mrs. M. E. Moore is the Conference treasurer of the Conference Woman's Missionary Society. Our duty is plain, let us do our whole duty. Life will soon be over, and at its close if we have done well, our duty will have no regrets as we close our eyes upon this world.

Last Sunday we were at Carrollton and had a high day in Zion. It has been years since a preaching elder spent the Sabbath on this work. We preached at each service—morning and night. Mrs. Ella Spears of White Rock, joined the church and was made president of the Stewards Board No. 2. The leading lights in the church, viz: C. W. Welch, Chas. Bradley, Frank Booth, E. D. Rainwater, Mrs. Henrietta Bush, Mrs. A. M. Welch, Mrs. Annie Bush, Mrs. Fanny Holmes, Miss Hester Bush was made the reporter for the Dallas Express. Look for the epic notes each week. Mrs. Virgie Mitchell is the efficient teacher, and has done much for the children and the town and it is with regret that we note the nearest of the scholastic term. Rev. Henry Baker is the popular pastor.

Six persons have joined the church and the Sunday School has been reorganized and new life put within the work. They are in a great rally for the building of a new church and the remodeling of the parsonage. Rev. C. W. Sims, now immortal built this church, which now bears his name, Sims Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth of Carrollton are the first persons of Color that purchased marriage license in the present court house of Dallas. They are living happy and prosperous.

Mrs. Sidney Woods of Arroyo is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lila Booth. Mrs. Emma Ingraham is suffering from a broken ankle, having fallen from a horse. Rev. J. H. Bush went to Dallas to preach at his appointment.

Lee Chapel. Next Sunday we will be at Lincoln Manor. Give all news of Carrollton to Miss Hester Bush the reporter. Next Friday night the school closes and Mrs. Virgie Mitchell, the teacher, returns to her home in Dallas.

OKLAHOMA TOWNS.

Purcell, March 24.—Sunday being one of the most pleasant day's service was well attended at all churches. Rev. Carter, two soul stirring sermons. The A. M. E. Methodist revival has kept the Christian people busy. Mrs. Alice Jefferson was a visitor to Purcell. Mrs. Lillie Mae Collier, Mrs. Gertrude Fields, were visiting their aunt this week. Mrs. James A. Jefferson, Booker Cox and Miss Gladys Miller surprised their many friends with a wedding at the residence of Mr. Miller. The Clover Leaf Club met at the residence of Mrs. Luke Henderson, March 16th at 2:30 p. m. The roll was called and each member responded with a Bible verse. Madams S. A. Grimes and Mrs. Lena

Person were guests of the evening. A three-course luncheon was served. Our next meeting will be at the residence of Mrs. Elijah Carr. Mrs. C. Steward, president, Mrs. Elijah, secretary.

Lawton, March 24.—The A. M. E. church is having a great success with their revival conducted by Rev. Baker of Lutha, Okla. Services were well attended all day. Collection for Sunday, \$42.50. Rev. Boone of Chattanooga, Okla., preached at Bethlehem Baptist Church. Lawton was hit with a cold spell Sunday and a rain Sunday night. Mr. Henry Dixon shoots Mr. Tim Hawkins, Tuesday, the 15th at No. 12 avenue inflicting a flesh wound in the right thigh. Mr. Dixon was immediately arrested. Mr. Hawkins is resting fine at this report. Lindsay Johnson shot and killed Tippy Andrews Sunday at about 12 p. m.

Ardmore, March 24.—The Ministerial Alliance of Ardmore is engaged in a great "Go to Church Campaign" through which it is hoped many sinners may be won for Christ. Mr. Clint Foster is in the city for a while. Mr. Oscar Smith, Jr., is visiting relatives in Denver, Colorado. Mr. Phillip Lofton, Jr., of Wolfe City Texas, is visiting relatives and friends in our city. The G. O. and H. H. boys entertained the girls of Ardmore Monday night. For quick service and fine tailoring see L. H. Hobbs, 530 E. Main street. Miss Mabel Newberry of Davis, Okla., is the guest of Miss Alqua Crisp. Mr. Elmer Turner has returned from Hot Springs, Ark. The D. H. S. Basket Ball team is very anxious to match a game before the season closes. Write W. T. Warren, P. O. Box 840, Ardmore, Okla. Mr. M. W. Allen is in Hope, Ark., on business. If you want the Express stop at 530 East Main. You will miss a treat if you miss the program at the First Baptist, Easter Sunday. W. T. Warren, reporter.

McAlester, March 24.—A. M. E. rally closed last Sunday night. Club No. 1, raised \$383.00 and club No. 2, raised \$241.00 making a total of \$624. The same amount was raised by suggestion of their new pastor, Rev. McAlester. The East Star Baptist started their revival last Monday night. Rev. Branch, pastor, Mrs. Lenora Hayes was called to Denison to attend the funeral of Mrs. Jennie Jones who was reported killed in Denison by unknown persons. Mr. Henry Titworth who has been in the employ of the Katy railroad for the last 10 or 12 years was very seriously hurt Thursday morning. He is now at his home at 104 West Delaware, under the care of Dr. G. T. Gray. The High School Minstrel at Convention hall was a success. Door receipts were \$161.30. Mrs. Ida Bell Layne, who was called to Tulsa, Okla., to the bedside of her son, Walter Layne returned home, March 20th, accompanied by her sister and two children. Mrs. D. Williams, Miss Ozell and Oran Leroy Williams. The N. A. C. P. met at East Star Baptist Church, March 20. The district meeting of Mosaic convened at Hartshorne last Monday. Mrs. Nancy Titworth visited Wilburton, Oklahoma, Tuesday to see Mrs. Branch's sick son, W. L. Lane.

Okmulgee, March 24.—Rev. G. R. Shorts, assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church, preached a strong sermon last Sabbath, taking the life of Matthew as his subject. Pastor Jones made a wise choice when he sent this strong young man to the city.

It seems that all the members of M. E. Church are behind Rev. Madden in the matter of building a church. Do not forget their big thousand dollar rally on the first Sabbath in April.

The Dunbar High School Band will give an annual concert at the school building Friday, April 1st. Ere long you will hear the sweetest music poured forth by this youthful band under their leader, Mr. Ross. Instruments have been ordered.

All our people are putting out trees and making their grounds beautiful. Mr. McMillan is responsible for this opportunity to get good trees at a reasonable rate. The churches are given special rates as is also the school. More than twenty trees are to be put out on the school grounds through the contribution of the pupils.

Easter Day is to be a great day for the children. Each Sabbath school will have an exercise and the kiddies given a chance to "show off."

Flowers are being planted around the grounds of the school buildings and rooms decorated in keeping with the season.

Notice, the sign over Frank Anderson's harness shop and then get your made at the same place. Dunbar can do more as they did this.

At a recent meeting of the N. A. C. P., the following officers were elected and arrangements made for a drive for our stranded new members: D. J. Wallace, President; D. F. Wilson, Vice President; W. H. Fort, Secretary; Roy Tyler, Treasurer; Dr. A. M. Carpenter, Chairman ex-Com; Rev. J. Anderson, R. S. Samble, Miss Maud Smith, P. M. Matina members of the executive committee.

Rev. W. H. Hampton of Paris, Texas, on route to Muskogee spent pleasant hours in our city Sunday. While here he visited the Observer Publishing Co. office.

Mr. John Class, died Wednesday morning, remains shipped to burial. The U. B. F.'s had charge of the body.

Mr. Frank Washington, an aged citizen died Friday evening. Deceased was widely known here.

The funeral of Sister Johnson was held at Franklin Chapel M. E. Church Saturday evening. Rev. Madden, the pastor officiated.

Mr. H. O. Abbott, the printer has installed a printing plant here. Mr. Abbott is from Tulsa, comes well recommended.

MAY BAH RE-ENTRANCE OF GARVEY TO AMERICA. (By A. N. P.) New York, March 24.—Will Marcus Garvey got back into the United States. It is a question that has been asked in many quarters here. Garvey is now making a tour of the West Indies, and officials and organization state that he is expected to return to this country in April. However, there is a report that Garvey has been substantiated, that government officials will refuse to permit him without a word of information. Write her today.



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